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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

EXTENSION OF TIME

A petition for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for two months (PTO/SB/22) is attached hereto in duplicate.

CLAIM FEES

The claim fees have been calculated as follows: CLAIMS HIGHEST NO. REMAINING **ADDITIONAL PREVIOUSLY** PRESENT AFTER AMENDMENT RATE PAID FOR **EXTRA** 0.00 50.00 x \$ Total 25 0.00 \$ 200.00 3 Independent 0.00 S FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM+ \$ 360.00 0.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE \$

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is given to charge the attached extension of time fee of \$450.00, as well as to charge any deficiencies in the fees, and/or to further credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 503-121 to maintain the pendency of this application. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is attached hereto.

Respectfully Submitted,

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